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INFO AMEMBASSY PANAMA

C O N F I D E N T I A L SANTIAGO 3334

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: CI, PFOR, PN

SUBJECT: PANAMANIAN DELEGATION IN CHILE

REF: SANTIAGO 3227

1. PANAMANIAN EMBOFF TOLD US THAT, ALTHOUGH COMMERCIAL MATTERS WERE INDEED DISCUSSED DURING RECENT VISIT OF PANAMANIAN DELEGATION (REFTEL), MAIN SUBJECT OF TRIP WAS PANAMA CANAL NEGOTIATIONS. GOP INTENTION IS TO GENERATE AS MUCH LATIN AMERICAN PRESSURE AS POSSIBLE ON USG "TO SPEED THE PACE OF NEGOTIATIONS," SOURCE STATED, AND GOP HAS SENT LOBBYING DELEGATIONS TO VARIOUS LATAM COUNTRIES. ASKED IF DELEGATION BROUGHT SPECIAL LETTER OR OTHER PRIVATE COMMUNICATION TO PINOCHET, SOURCE TACITLY ACKNOWLEDGED DELEGATION DID; SOURCE REFUSED TO GIVE ANY INDICATION OF CONTENTS, HOWEVER, OTHER THAN THAT COMMUNICATION WAS RELATED TO CANAL QUESTION.

2. ASKED EXACTLY WHAT GOP WAS OFFERING GOC IN COLON FREE PORT, SOURCE NOTED RECENT EXPANSION OF FREE PORT AREA AND SAID CHILE WAS OFFERED WAREHOUSE FACILITIES IN THIS AREA AT NOMINAL OR NO RENT. GOC IS REPORTEDLY INTERESTED.

3. FONMINISTRY SOURCE CONFIRMED GOC INTEREST IN COLON  
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POSSIBILITY. ON CANAL QUESTION, HE WAS UNAWARE OF ANYTHING

MORE THAN PANAMANIAN DELEGATION'S PUBLIC STATEMENTS  
REPORTED REFTEL.  
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